



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFIC

Group Art Unit: 1653

Examiner: D. Lukton

In re Application of:

Alain COMMERÇON et al.

Serial No.: 09/492,392

Filed: January 27, 2000

For: STREPTOGRAMINES, THEIR

PREPARATION AND COMPOSITIONS **CONTAINING THEM**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of June 26, 2001. A fee of \$110.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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